RICHMOND GERMAN CLUB **GIVES MIDWINTER DANCE**

Colonel Jo Lape Stern Leads With Miss Mary Safford Munford.

LUNCHEON FOR MRS. TRAVERS

Mrs. Herbert W. Jackson Will Entertain To-Day at Her Home on West Franklin Street-Rev. F. W. Pratt Speaks at Art Club.

Colonel Jo Lane Stern led the dance given by the Richmond German Club at the Jefferson Hotel last evening. dancing with Miss Mary Safford Mundancing with Miss Mary Safford Munford, the debutante daughter of Mrs.
Beverley B. Munford. Miss Munford
wore a French dress of American
Beauty-colored tulie, draped over soft
white satin, with touches of blue satin
on the bodice. Her flowers were lilies
of the valley. The ballroom was decorated, as usual, in palms, ferns and
bay trees, and a stringed orchostra
played for the dancing.
Supper was served at 19:30 o'clock.
There were twenty-three small tables,
with covers laid for six and eight, and

with covers laid for six and eight, and these were arranged with quaint bas-kets of all sorts of flowers, festooned kets of all sorts of flowers, festooned with chiffon bows. The chaperons receiving for the club included Mrs. Thomas Pinckney Bryan, Mrs. Julien H. Hill, Mrs. Thomas Branch McAdams, Mrs. Eppa Hunton, Jr., Mrs. J. Jordan Loake, Mrs. Garrett Buckner Wall, Mrs. John Stewart Bryan, Mrs. Egbert G. Leigh, Jr., Mrs. William S. P. Mavo, Mrs. Barton Haxall Wise, Mrs. W. Ormond Young and Mrs. Charles C. Barks. mond Young and Mrs. Charles C. Barks-

to Richmond sectory at the ball last to Richmond sectory at the afternoon with Berrings and a drews.

Charles Watkins She wore a gawn of bine and cloth of silver, and her charming. She is an accomplished plants, and her selections rendered plants, and her selections rendered made the musicale one of the most day at the ball last the afternoon with Berrings and a drews.

Colonel Potts to Speak.

The Woman's Club of Barton Heights, having indersed the work of the War Relief Association of Virginia, has called a public meeting to be held in called a public meeting to be held in the Barton Heights school building this afternoon at 4 o'clock to arouse interest and to perfect plans for the work. Colonel Allen Potts, who has work. Colonel Allen Potts, who has the meeting. The public is interest and to perfect plans for the work. The public is interest and to perfect plans for the work. The public is interest and to perfect plans for the work of the guest of relatives at ville, S. C., is the guest of relatives at ville to attend.

Invitations Issued.

FREDERICKSBURG. VA., January 10.—Mr. and Mrs. William H. Hossley, of Unionville, Orange County, have sent out cards for the marriage of their day or evening occardaughter, Miss Florence Groom Hossley, to Henry Jonathan Mann, formerly of villed to attend.

Within sixty days. France, he added, could send 160,000 men in the first expedition and Germany 387,000.

General Scott disclosed that the War Department had prepared estimates for six mobile coast-defense guns, of call-sions. It is of black tulle over white, and shows the hust band of large and shows the large and shows t

Distinguished English Visitors.

Marquis and Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair, England, who have

deen and Temair. England, who have been in this country and Tanada since september, are new at Old Print Com. fort for a short stay. Lady Aberden will arrive in Eichmond to-day for a brief visit to Mrs. James R. V. Fan. lel at the Jeffarson Hotel, and will leave this evening for Wustington, where she has important organgements. Lord Aberdeen will arrive on Thursday from

y distinguished man, and was mond.

Years victor of Ireland He are Aire Daniels son Robert Ky, is the guest of Mrs. Hermon Winfree in Dublic, and also at the he palace in Princip, and and Lady fastle of Cromar in Scotland, Lady

Mrs. Herbert W. Jackson, of West afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Frenklin Street, is giving a pretty bridge luncheon to-day in honor of Mrs.

An important needing of West Wravers, a recent bride. The committee of the Ginter Pourlers will be prettily arranged with Club will be held this af covers for luncheon, which will be All Interested in served at 1.30 o clock after the game is concluded. The table will be decorated in a custic basket of pink sweet

On Thursday evening of this week,

At the Art Club.

Rev. F. W. Prett will lecture at the Rev. F. W. Fratt will lecture at the Art Club this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock on "Michael Angelo." The lecture will this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the home his death. be illustrated by stereopticon views. The speaker has traveled extensively in Europe, and his address at the Art Club will be a most interesting affair. Tea will be served after the lecture is over, and ill friends of the club, as well as the members are invited to attend. Mrs. Stafford G. Phillips is chairman of the afternoon. Mrs. Phillips has been lead of the department of art in Ohio State University and supervisor of art in the public schools supervisor of art in the public schools. supervisor of art in the public schools Pretty Home Wedding.

A pretty home wedding was solem nized January 6, at "Mt. Pleasant," Buckingham County, when Miss Willie Kyle Christian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Christian, became the bride of T. Houston Antrim, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Antrim, Rev. C. M. Barrell Melating.

The bride, wearing a dark blue traveling suit trimmed in fur, with hat and gloves to match, entered with her father. She carried a shower bouquet f bride's roses and lilles of the val

Miss Janle Christian, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She was gowned in Nile green crepe de chine, and carried an arm bouquet of Killarney roses. Robert E. Antrim, brothof the groom, was best min.

Miss Kate Patteson played the wed-ding marches and rendered "Narcissus"

softly, during the ceremony. Little Charles Ellis acted as ringbearer.
Directly after the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Antrim left for Greensboro, N. C., their future home.

Marriage Announced.

Cards have been received here an-nouncing the marriage of J. Edwin Cobeau, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Coheau, of Highland Park, to Mrs. Rose Andrus, of Grand Rapids, Mich. The vedding was celebrated January 4 at the home of the bride. After January 20 they will be at home in Grand

At the Woman's Club. The Woman's Club was crowded to the doors yesterday afternoon to hear the recital given there by Mrs. Channing Ward and Mrs. Hamilton Smith. Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Smith are both artists well-known throughout the

SKETCHES FROM LIFE -:- By Temple



Miss Grace Meacham, of Brooklyn, Waynesboro.

N. Y., is spending a short time in Rich-

WOMEN'S MEETINGS.

The Williams Memorial Circle of King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. Cammack, at 1832 West Grace Street, attendance is recuested.

The Junior Oakwood Memorial Assolation will meet with Mrs. C. W. Mas-

committee of the Ginter Park Woman's Men, is a benedict. He was married Club will be held this afternoon at 4 on Sunday night to Miss Nannie Elizafelock in Ginter Park Assembly Hall, both Murphy by Rev. R. M. Stimson.

volunteer workers of the "House of the "Hous

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Comby-Hinckburn. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Miss Nan Roper has returned to Petersburg, after a brief stay in Richmond.

Miss Louise Kellogg, of Ginter Park, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. D. Clay Lilly, in Nashville, Tenn.

I Special to The Times-Dispatch, I HARRISONBURG, VA., January 10.—Philip R., Cosby, son of Ira Cosby, and Miss Olivia Frances Blackburn, daughter of the late John W. Blackburn, all of Grottoes, were married on Saturday night by Rev. Charles Gwathmey, of Wayseshore.

Preston-Green.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
ALEXANDRIA, VA., January 10.—At
the "Abbey," on Seminary Hill, the
home of Rev. Berryman Green, D. D.,
of the faculty of the Theological Seminary of Virginia, took place the wed-ding on Saturday morning of Miss El-sie Bouldin Green to Dr. Desausseur Garden Preston, of Burnwell, W. Va. The ceremony was solemnized in the parlor of the home of Dr. Green, who was the officiating minister.

ten at 2721 East Broad Street, this fternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

An important necting of the school sachem of the Virginia Council of Red

Parrot will represent the great council of Virginia when it meets at Wild wood, N. J., next September and he There will be a training class for will preside over the next State con-

osual, this afternoon from 4 to 7 o'clock.

The poems of Rupert Brooke will be the subject of Miss Lou Belle Catesby Jones's lecture this afternoon at 4 o'clock with the subject of Miss Lou Belle Catesby Jones's lecture this afternoon at 1 o'clock. Miss Jones will meet ber the class at her home, 6 North Second Mrs. Stiles H. Ellyson is general leader.

Street who was to have become a bride as The regular monthly meeting of the member of the funeral party, the young On Thursday evening of this week.

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The regular monthly meeting of the member of the funeral party, the young social workers of the Nurses' Settlement will be held at 21 South Beech Street, on Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. On Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

A full attendance is desired.

The regular monthly meeting of the member of the funeral party, the young man to whom the was betrothed haveing had his life crushed out in a West Virginia coal nune. The burlal fell upon the day that had been set for the welding. Carl Buchanan, tyenty-The Woodland Heights Mothers' Club two years old, and a son of John N

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ARMY OF 2,000,000 NECESSARY

Short of His Plan, He Believes Administration's Suggestion for Continental Army Offers Most Fensible Solution of Problem of U. S.

WASHINGTON, January 10 .-- Universal military service in some form in the United States, possibly the requirement that all men between eighteen and twenty-one be given at least six months' training, was discussed today before the House Military Committee by Major-General Scott, chief of staff of the army.

General Scott told the committee that the United States would need an army of nearly 2,000,000 men in the event of war. It developed during the hearings that there are more than 4,000,000 men in the country between the ages of eighteen and twenty-one, and that 700,000 reach the age of eighteen annually.

Short of a universal military requirement, General Scott thought the administration's continental army plan offered the most workable solution of the nation's military problems. If the plan falled, he said, there was no scape from compulsory service. Every country in Europe, he added, realized the truth of this, and England might better have realized it sooner.

Some of the guest from a distance attending the german last evening were tending the german last evening were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bolling, of Panama. Miss Eugenia Fairfax, of Loudoun; Miss Daria Taylor, of Boston, Mass.; Miss Dabney Paxton, of Danville: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman Walker, of Philadelphia.

State and their programs are always charming affairs. Mrs. Smith's rich, magnificent contralto voice holds an address the club on the work of the darrison, who is a midwinter debutante fairy charm. She sang all sorts of lovely verses yesterday and concluded the afternoon with Del Riego's "Happy to Richmond secrety at the ball last the afternoon with Del Riego's "Happy Song."

Scott's Statement that the country would need an army of nearly 2,000,006 in the event of war was questioned by Representative Anthony, who asked if it would not be a physical impossibility for any power to land 500. For program will include violin selections by Miss Margaret Phillips, accompanied by Miss Margaret Phillips, and a vocal solo by Mrs. Walter Anthony of the general staff under date vision of the general staff under date of August, 1914, General Scott said stantiality to the fragile fabric. Austria-Hungary had the ships and The short tunic is of black tulle, bor-Education Association will meet to-day at 4 o'clock at the John Marshall expedition and 108,000 in a second

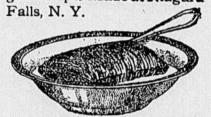
> Mrs. John W. Arrington, of Greenville, S. C., is the guest of relatives at
> S30 West Grace Street.
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> Miss Juliet Mann, of Petersburg, has
> been spending a short time in this
> city.
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> Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Boiling, of PanMr. and Mrs. R. E. Boiling, of army in time of war.
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> The committee will resume its hear-

ngs on Wednesday, with Major-General Bliss, assistant chief of staff, on the

Sothoron Case Postponed.

The case against J. R. Sothoron, charged with having forged the name of his mother to a check drawn on the Columbia National Bank, of Washington, has been postponed for trial until to-day.

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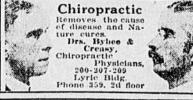
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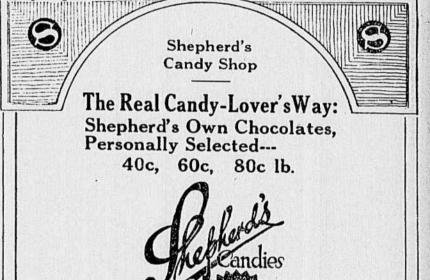
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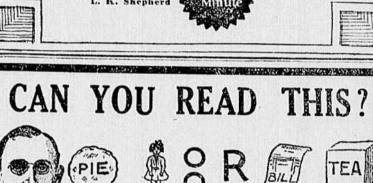
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